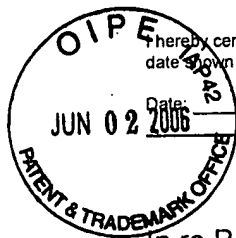


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In re PATENT application of:

Applicant(s): Martin Brady et al.

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CATHETER SYSTEMS, DEVICES, AND
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Petition hereby is made for an extension of time to respond to the Office communication mailed on
January 27, 2006 for a period of:

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| Number of months (put an "X" in box) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | One | \$120 | \$120.00 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Two | \$450 | \$0.00 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Three | \$1,020 | \$0.00 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Four | \$1,590 | \$0.00 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | Five | \$2,160 | \$0.00 |
| Extension Fee (large entity) | | | | \$0.00 |
| Small Entity Status claimed (put an "X" in box) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Extension Fee (small entity) | \$60.00 | |
| less amount paid previously for earlier extension of same deadline | | | | \$0.00 |
| Payment due | | | | \$60.00 |

Fee Payment: ☒ Credit card payment form is attached.
☐ Charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 18-0988, under the above-shown docket number.

If any additional extension of time for the accompanying response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required by this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0988 under the above-shown docket number.

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